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Iris Garden

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Davis, California

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We wish to thank all our customers and new friends who made our third year, as a commercial grower, such a success. We will try each succeeding year to maintain a better and higher standard of growing quality rhizomes.

How do we propose to do this? We have discontinued many of the older varieties because there is no cheap labor and those we get just don't care to work in Iris gardens at any price. We, therefore, are growing only a few of the choicest varieties and will grow them in such a manner that the customer, both old and new, will be more than satisfied.

Each year we try to add a number of new varieties. Last season we added the following: PHOEBUS APOLLO, PRIVATEER, GRACE B, BOLD ADVENTURE, CONQUEROR, PRETTY PINK, DEEP BLACK, CELESTIA, CARMELLA, GOLDEN BLAZE, CRINKLED RIBBON, HALOLIGHT, HARBOR BLUE, MOULIN ROUGE, CASINO, EASTMONT, IRMA MELROSE, SWAN BALLET, PLUMED DELIGHT, QUEEN'S LACE, RUFFLED APACHE, TENSLEEP, PRAIRIE JEWEL and SAFARI. Some of these will find their way into the following pages. Those that do not, are being withheld to increase stock.

Our display garden is fast becoming a Mecca for Iris fanciers and shutterbugs. Everyone is welcome, especially at blooming time which is expected around the third week of April.

We hope to be seein' you.

Alice & Lyn Hoffman

GUARANTEE and **SURVIVAL**

We guarantee all plants to be true to name free from pests, and in good condition when they reach you. If for any reason you are not completely satisfied, please write us at once. Your satisfaction is our aim.

The growth and survival of healthy Iris stock is dependent very largely upon the care given and upon local soil and weather conditions — things of which we have no control.

TERM OF SALE

CASH with order, check, draft or money order. NO stamps please. POSTAGE PAID, on orders of \$5.00 or more. Add 50c if for less to help cover the cost of packing and shipping.

CALIFORNIA RESIDENTS not actually living in Davis, California please be sure to include 3 per cent Sales Tax with your orders. Davis residents 4 percent. CANADIAN CUSTOMERS, please send importation papers with your orders.

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Minimum order \$2.00

On orders from \$2.00 to \$10.00 . . . you may SELECT 25% MORE VALUE IN FREE IRIS.

On orders from \$10.00 to \$25.00 . . you may SELECT 33% MORE VALUE IN FREE IRIS.

On orders from \$25.00 up you may SELECT 50% MORE VALUE IN FREE IRIS

The above is not a cash discount and should not be used as such. Please order early as some varieties are in short supply. If possible please give us a list of alternate choices just in case our stock is sold out.

All Iris marked **NET** are in short supply and are limited one to a customer and may not be chosen as extras. We will refund anything in your order we cannot supply, unless you indicate that something on your list of extras would be acceptable as an alternate.

OUR 1957 INTRODUCTION

ORCHID FINALE (Albrecht '57) M 36". Three well spaced branches with two or three terminal buds. Blooms over a long period of time and withstands the elements to perfection. Large flowers of excellent substance. Falls are large with very wide haft. Lemon yellow beard tipped white. The entire flower is crisp, ruffled, flaring and graceful. A very worthy addition to this color class. Seedling of Rosy Ruffles X White Smoke.

OUR 1956 INTRODUCTIONS

CELESTIAL VALLEY (Wedgwood '56) 36" Midseason. A light blue self with deeper blue Onco veining. Domed standards with broad flaring horizontal falls of exceptional substance. Very sturdy and fast of increase. Blooms of long lasting quality making this a desirable Iris to own. Due to a mix-up of chromosomes it often has 3 to 5 standards but contain the conventional 3 falls. Very broad haft with heavy golden yellow beard completes its make-up. (Snow Flurry X Capitola)

GLOBETROTTER (Linse '56) 42" Midseason. A huge golden tan iris. Its size is immense, blooms having an eight inch spread with falls three inches across. A blended self of rose golden tan, with upper part of the standards and lower part of the falls deep rose. Buff at the sides of the haft and a margin of gold buff around the edges. Beard is yellow. Form and subtance are both good, and the tall stalks have three to four branches with terminal. An excellent parent being fertile both ways. (Tobacco Road X Casa Morena) X Bryce Canyon) X Orange Man. NET \$15.00

HEATHER ANGEL (Linse '56) 36" Midseason to late. Another of the fine creations from the Linse gardens. The fully rounded flowers, 8" across, of Onco form are absolute perfection. The color is a smooth Heather Purple with blue tipped beard. Falls are semi-flaring 3½" across. A sturdy plant making good growth and increase, and having strong stalks with two good branches and terminal. Substance is extra heavy. (New Snow X Capitola)

NET \$15.00

Use CARCO-X for Soft Rot

One treatment dries up Soft Rot over night. Use it before it appears. CARCO-X is also effective in combating and destroying Iris borer eggs, leaf spot spores, crown rot spores and soft rot bacteria. Write us for descriptive pamphlet and 1957 prices. A postcard may save you \$\$\$\$

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SELECTED LIST

AIRY MISS (Linse '53) 26". Very dark and lovely BLARNEY (Welch '50) Dwarf. EE 6". Today lit-Mohr hybrid . Form is flatly flaring with extra tle Blarney vies with Green Spot for the top place broad falls and fully domed standards. in the greens. A "must" for the breeders of AL BORAK (DeForest '52) ML 36". Glowing golddwarfs. en brown with copper overlay. Extremely wide BLUE HAWAII (Schreiner '54) E-M 38" A rich horizontal falls with heavy substance and dismarine blue from Snow Flurry. Outstanding in tinct color makes this iris one of distinction \$4.00 size and stature. Blue Hawaii offers a rich tonal value unduplicated by any other blue ALLINE ROGERS (Kleinsorge '50) M 36". Rosycopper blend of fine segments. Closed standards Iris now in commerce. \$3.00 with wide falls. A fine Iris. BLUE SAPPHIRE (Schreiner '53) E 40". Extra large in size and heavenly coloring. Its charming AMANDINE (G. Douglas '46) L 36". Large pale ruffling belies its extra heavy substance. A lemon cream self with ruffled broad form of exquisite beauty. superb background Iris that wind and rain won't injure. AMERICAN MODERN (Craig '51) M 36". Olive \$3.50 BLUE SNOWFLAKE (DeForest '53) M-L 40". ochre sometimes flecked bluish green. Falls heavily veined red. Vigorous, prolific, perfectly Large blue bicolor that will become very popular when better known. Standards white, lines branched. Onco-bred APRICOT GLORY (Muhlestein '51) M-L 36". blue, falls dark blue violet. \$8.00 Smoothly finished light apricot, or salmon, with BLUMOHR (Marx '49) E-M 36". Pure lavender deeper hafts and self beard. A lovely flower. blue with no veining whatever to be seen on the flower. Long-lasting blooms of Wm. Mohr form. APRICOT SUPREME (Tompkins '51) M 40". Deep Exceptional texture and substance. apricot with brilliant full beard of apricot red. BLUE PARAKEET (Waters '50) M-L 38" Unus-Large blooms with broad heavily substanced ually blue with olive-orcher on hafts. Flowers petals. Well branched on sturdy stalks. \$2.00 are large and the stalks are tall and widely ARABI PASHA (Anley '53) M 36". Nice flaring branched. deep cornflower blue. Dykes Medal Award win-BOLD ADVENTURE (Wells '55) M 48". Immense, ner in England 1953. \$5.00 bold flowers displayed on tall stems creating ARGUS PHEASANT (DeForest '48) M-L 38". Golda new look for black iris. This is the tallest, en Argus-brown with matching beard. Texture largest, most beautiful black with maroon and form excellent. undercast, accented by an exotic brown-black ARMOUR BRIGHT (Rev. Edmison '53) M-L 38". beard. Excitingly different. **NET \$20.00** Smooth, heavily substanced golden-yellow. A BOLD CONTRAST (Linse '54) M-L 38". This remarkable breeder. beauty is at the top of the variegatas. Stan-BALLERINA (Hall '51) M 36". One of the finest dards of Inca Gold, veined rose. Falls are semiof the new flamingo-pinks. Very large rufflaring and very plush red of color. Has refled of delicious medium pink with deep orange ceived highest praise where-ever seen. beard. Form is superb and petals are thick and BORN YESTERDAY (Mitchell '49) M 36". Very lustrous. large frilled bi-color. Yellow ground with red-BALLET DANCER (Kleinsorge '49) M 36". Delightpurple falls lined cream. \$.75 ful golden apricot buff. Good substance and BRIGHT HOUR (Douglas '52) M 36". An impressive amoena. Standards silvery white with falls BELLE MEADE (J. Wills '52) M 39". Sturdy velvet purple edged white. \$5.00 heavy substanced really blue-marked plicata \$7.00 BROWN ENSEMBLE On display only, for 1957. BELLERIVE (Benson '50) M 40". Huge ruffled BURGANDY SPLASH (Craig '49) M 36". This cream with glistening sheen and heavy subwell formed iris has standards of subdued burstance. Domed standards and semi-flaring falls. gandy-red with broad falls of a creamy yellow \$1.00 stippled with an intense burgundy border \$2.00 BEN BOLT (Lothrop '49) ML 36" A fine dark iris in black-purple, with bronzy orange beard. BY LINE (DeForest '52) M 40". Another new addition to our garden which is gaining in pop-\$1.00 BETHEL (Linse '54) M 37". Rosy tan self with ularity. A fine yellow and maroon plicata with lustrous quality. The falls are ruffled with colorful orange beard. Makes instant appeal strong midrib. Striking orange beard. when seen. NET \$10.00 BLACK CASTLE (Schreiner '53) M 32". A rich CAHOKIA (Fought'48) M 39". A beautiful light near black iris enhanced by a deep orange hive of very clear tone that deserves the warm reception it has received in all parts of the beard. The unusual depth of color impresses everyone. country. If you do not have it this is a must \$5.00 BLACK HILLS (O. Fay '51) M Smooth, tall, well for this year. \$1.50 branched black-purple. CARIBOU TRAIL (Plough) Guest Iris on display. \$4.00

CARMELLA (Schreiner '55) M. 36" Ruffled and laced apricot-russet self with copper infusion. Iris judges aclaim it as a must for Iris fanciers. Stock in short supply. **NET \$12.00**

CASCADIAN (Linse '52) M 38". This is one of the most outstanding white iris we grow. Very large ruffled flowers with greenish hue through center of falls creating a cool clean look. Increases rapidly and is very hardy. We highly recommend it as The outstanding white of to-

CASINO (Plough '55) EML 40" Huge rosy mulberry self. Falls have Mohr veining in an intricate pattern. Flowers are well rounded and full. Substance is heavy and the flowers last for days. Beard is browish yellow. A stunning new beauty for your garden. CELESTIA (Pierce) Withdrawn this year to increase

stock.

CELESTIAL VALLEY (Wedgwood 1956) 36". Midseason. A light blue self (Wilson Color Chart 640/3) with deeper blue Onco veining. Domed standards with broad flaring horizontal fails of exceptional substance. Very sturdy and a fast increaser. Blooms are of long lasting quality making this a very desirable hybrid. Tested in all climates and found to be very hardy. Seedling SC-1 (Snow Flurry X Capitola.) Each \$10.00

CHANCELLOR (Lothrop '55) ML 42" An impressive dark violet near self with heavy substance and good branching. It is fertile both ways and has conical, frilled, standards and ruffled velvety falls. NET \$10.00 CHANTILLY (Hall '45) M 36". Heavy ruffled orchid-pink blend. \$1.00

CHAR MAIZE (Lyon '49) M 44". A very outstanding chartreuse yellow. Stunning and so very different from the other yellows. A must have this year for your garden. \$2.25

CHERIE (Hall '47) E 38". Dykes Medal '51. One of the best known of the pinks. Does well every-

CHIVALRY (Wills '44) L 34". Nice ruffled med. \$1.00

CINNAMON TOAST (Sass '53) M 35". Outstanding plicata with cream ground, sanded red-brown and forming a solid border. Created much interest in our gardens last year. Very nice.

\$9.00 CLARA B (Muhlestein '52) M 36". White with lemon yellow border on falls and standards. This is a fine iris from a fine breeder. CLOUDCAP (DeForest '50) M 40". One of the largest pinks we have seen. Carries the tangerine beard. Often the flowers measures 7 to 9 inches across. Outstanding. \$3.00

COCK PHEASANT (Whiting '51) M 36". Rich garnet red with overlay of terra cotta on falls. The flowers are of fine form and nicely displayed on sturday stocks of fine branching. \$2.00 COLOR CARNIVAL (DeForest '49) M 38". Soft strawberry pink-purple marking on hafts. Very strikingl \$2.50

COLORGLOW (Scheiner '53) E-M 36" Lovely, colorful blend such as one might expect from the parentage. The rose-pink and gold colors is one of blended beauty.

COLOR HARMONY (Mitchell-LaFrenz '54) EM 40" Blended bicolor. Standards are golden buff bluish violet. Falls same edged golden buff. Unusual coloring in this flaring beauty. Good substance. **NET \$3.50**

COLUMBIA (Tompkins '51) M 36" Large wide, rich deep commanding blue. Well branched and long blooming. **NET \$5.00**

CONQUEROR (J. Wells '56) M 36" This deep red flower is not a brown red. It is more rich than bright and reminds me of the deep cool red of crimson Maple leaves in the fall. Besides its good qualities of form and color, this fine flower makes an exceptional garden plant because of the strong rapid growth and abundant bloom. Stock very scarce. NET \$15.00

CORONATION TAPESTRY (Craig '53) M 36" Novel and striking as some rich Persian tapestry in mahogany, rose and brown.

COTTON CANDY (H. Sass '53) M-L 36". Good light shell pink with pink beard. Much used in pink breeding.

CRINKLED RIBBON (Schreiner '56) M 38" This is another of the Schreiner's fine creations. Creating much interest not only because of its intriguing color and intensity of its crinkling but for the fact that it comes from a entirely new line of breeding.

CRISPETTE (Schreiner '54) EM 34" Of ideal form and garden habit is this broadly proportioned color gem whose fluted petals and lacy edging create a lilting billowy effect. The deep orchid color carries extremely well. One of the best Schreiner introductions.

CRITERION (G. Douglas '51) ML 35" Sister to Gaylord, and a very easy parent. A fine new addition to the amoenas. \$3.00

DARK FIRE (Tompkins '49) L 38". A near self of black-red. Good substance with blooms well placed on sturdy stalks.

DARLENE WATERS (Linse '56) Guest Iris on display.

DAZZELIER (Hall-Bloese '52) There are many yellows, but there are none superior to Dazzelier. The large golden flowers are overlaid with bright orange. The blue-green fountain-like leaves are attractive after the blossoms are gone. Very hardy. We know of no other listing of this lovely creation on the Pacific Coast. Be sure to look for it. \$2.50

DEEP BLACK (P. Cook '55) ML 36" Standards deep blackish violet with glossy finish. Falls solid jet black velvet. Bright deep violet beard. Sorry no stock for sale this year.

DESERT TWILIGHT (E. Mises '52) M 36". A pastel shade of delicate violet-lobelia, fused with a warm mauve-wood brown at the haft. Then like a last ray of sunlight to brighten the scene comes the deep golden glow of the beard. Well spaced, large blooms, very thick petals. This iris created much interest in our exhibit at the Sacramento Iris Society Show in 1955. DISTANCE (Cook '46) M-L 35". A very smooth blue that makes an effective clump. DOLLY VARDEN (Hall '50) M 38". Deep flamingo pink with salmon overlay and no haft markings. Flowers of exceptionally fine form carried on strong well branched stalks. DOUBLE EAGLE (Samuelson '54) M 40". Bi-colored yellowish-chartreuse, some flecking in the deeper colored falls. Occasionally the later flowers come with six or more standards creating an unusual effect of a double iris. Fertile both ways and may be useful for Green breeding.

DREAMY (Linse '53) M 38". Here is a huge flaring white with self beard. Extremely vigorous and of strong growing habits. We recommend it highly. EASTMONT (Plough '56) EML 40" Intense violet with brilliant coloring. The flowers are large and ruffled. Stalks are well branched and tall. An unusual feature is the foliage which is sword-like and grows very tall. \$10.00 EBONY ECHO (Tompkins '48) M 36". Accent on form. Deep carmine with black-red overlay. Wide of parts. Top blood for reds. \$2.00 ELIZABETH OF ENGLAND (Miles '46) M 36" Non-fading light azure blue of excellent form. Valuable to hybridizers. ENGRAVED (Craig '52) M 38" A strange but very lovely oncobred of the plicata type with

like engraving. \$5.00

ESQUIRE (Lothrop '45) ML 38" Rich medium deep blue-purple, beautiful branching. \$1.00

white ground and an all-over network of steel

FANCY WORK (Craig '51) M 40" Oncobred fancy plicata. Burgundy self. Intricately and delicately patterned with deeper burgundy. Colorful, tall and a good grower. \$7.50

FIREDANCE (O. Fay '47) M 37" A very red plicata. Nice

FIRETAIL (Schreiner '55) M-L 40". The highest development to date in yellow plicatas. An extraordinarily clean yellow with trim plicata margins of cinnamon tan. Another fine Iris of unusual finish and landscape value from Schreiners.

FIRST VIOLET (DeForest '52) M 38". A sparkling violet self with a slight bluish undertone. The flowers are ruffled and well spaced on sturdy stalks. Dykes Medal 1956 \$10.00

FOR SURE (Linse '53) M 38". A distinct Lady Mohr novelty. The color is cream to creamy tan, with bright margining of Ecru in a fine line around the petals. The falls are washed with violet about the beard. Medium to large ruffled flowers on tall sturdy stems with usually three branches widely spaced.

FRANCIS CRAIG (Craig '52) M 44". A Mohr hybrid of immense size in pale lavender on tall stems. Wonderful substance and quality. This is a "must" if you collect the Mohrs. \$5.00 FRANCES KENT (DeForest '51) M 38" Light apricot cream and chartreuse. Deep tangerine beard. Hafts flushed pink. \$3.00

FRONTIER DAYS (Tompkins '53) M-VL 38" This has very large flowers with broad petals and flaring form. The substance is extra heavy and the finish is sleek and glossy giving great brilliance and much carrying power to the cardinal red blooms.

NET \$7,00

FROST GLINT (Whiting '51) M 36". Cold bluewhite of superb substance. This fine iris is fast becoming one of the top breeders for whites and blues. Try it now. \$.75

GARDEN GLORY (Whiting '43) M-L 34". Pure deep rich Bordeau-red with dark beard. Smooth even color throughout. No haft markings makes this one of our garden favorites. \$.75

GARNET GLOW (Sass '51) M 36". Vivid self with a rich, deep red beard. Considered a new break in color. Very lovely. \$2.50

GAY ORCHID (Muhlestein '49) M 36". Large flaring orchid with tangerine beard. Steck is fair so order early on this one. \$1.00

GAY SENORITA (Salbach '44) M 36". Rich yellow veined brown. Novel. \$.75

GLISTENING COPPER (Muhlestein '53) ML 34".

A new copper of very intense color. Has medium to large flowers of heavy substance and flaring form. Outstanding. \$5.00

GLOBETROTTER (Linse 1956) 42". Midseason. This is a huge golden tan iris, known for several years in the Linse gardens as KING SIZE. Its size is immense, blooms having and eight inch spread with falls three inches across. It is a blended self of rose golden tan, with upper part of the standards and lower part of the falls deep rose. Buff at the side of the haft and a margin of gold around the edges. Beard is yellow. Form and substance are both good, and the tall stalks have three to four branches with terminal. It has proven an excellent parent, being fertile both ways. (Tobacco Road X Casa Morrena) X Bryce Canyon) X Orange Man. Each \$15

GOLD DUST (Salbach '52) M 36". A perfect formed plicata with rich yellow ground, flushed and dotted deep brown. Fast of increase. A noteworthy introduction. \$2.00

GOLDEN BLAZE (Mitsch '56) M 34". This burnished gold Iris is a real beauty, blazing like a golden bonfire in the clump. You'll love its crisp, ruffled form, its pansy-rich, plushy texture, its jaunty, drum-majorette carriage. An Iris that you will be proud to own. NET \$15.00 GOLDEN GLEAM (Miess '51) M 36". Dandelion-

GOLDEN GLEAM (Miess '51) M 36". Dandelionyellow. Falls flaring and slightly ruffled. Standards of heavy substance. \$3.00

GOLDEN RUSSET (Hall '46) M 38". Golden russet self. Very large blooms carried on well branched sturdy stalks. \$1.00

GOLD SOVEREIGN (Whiting '49) M 36". Vivid cadmium yellow self with nicely ruffled form. Plants are vigorous and hardy. \$1.00

GOOD NEWS (Kleinsorge '46) M 35". Ruffled mustard gold self with domed standards and flaring falls. \$.75

GRACE B (Kerr) Guest Iris on display.

GREEN IVORY (Muhlestein '53) M-L 34". Very very large, Wide with a greenish cast. Created much comment in our garden last year. Produces good seedlings. \$3.00

GREEN MOHR (Muhlestein '51) M 36". Strong green-chartreuse self. Some like it while others do not. Could be used in a green breeding program. \$2.00

GREEN PASTURES (Heller '47) M 40". Yellow chartreuse self. Large blooms are held on well branched sturdy stalks. Multiplies rapidly. \$.75

GYPSY CLASSIC (DeForest '51) M 36". Impressive iris of rich brown with henna overlay. Bright orange beard. The blooms are wide and flaring. \$2.00

H-1 (Hendrickson seedling.) EM 36". Due to the many inquiries about this seedling, we have decided to release a few under number. Not intending to name it we failed to classify its color. All we can say is it is a beautiful creamyellow, highly ruffled both standards and falls. Standards well cupped, very flaring falls with strong 3 way branched stalks. Its only fault is the rather high branching due to its parentage. (Snow Flurry X Cherie.) Being fertile both ways it should make a good breeder for imparting ruffling into the pinks. As a clump in the garden, it is outstanding.

HALL GOLDEN APRICOT SEEDLING A wonderful breeding seedling and a fine garden subject in a clump. Imparts substance to its children. One plant per customer.

Each \$3.00

HALOLIGHT (Schreiner '53) L 42". Blend of golden buff and subtle apricot shot with a radiance of pure gold. Wonderful form and and perfection of branching. Its smooth color and fine branched, tall stems makes it an ideal garden subject. \$7.50

HAPPY BIRTHDAY (Hall '52) M 36". Large brilliant deep pink with dark tangerine beard. This one heralded by the introducer as peer to all, to date, more colorful and larger than any of his previous introductions. \$3.00

HAPPY VALLEY (Miess '50) E 40". A beautiful large amthyst violet self of quality. Vigorous and floriferous. \$2.00

HARBOR BLUE (Schreiner '54) ML 40". Hybrid vigor gives this beauty its bamboo-type stems and flawless branching plus a leatheriness of substance that practically makes it wind and weather proof. Massive size, lavish form, glossy texture, richness and exquisiteness of hue. Winner of the Towndrow Award in England for 1955.

HEATHER ANGEL (Linse '56) 37". Midseason to late. One of the handsome NSCAPS from the Linse gardens, and much darker and later than others being introduced by Linse this year. The fully rounded flowers, 8" across, of Onco form are absolute perfection! The color is a smooth Heather Purple with blue tipped beard, and the big rounded flowers with broad fully domed standards have semi-flaring falls 31/2 inches across. A sturdy plant making good growth and increase, and having strong stalks with two good branches and terminal. Substance is extra heavy. Few iris have the perfection of form and the long lasting qualities of this fine hybrid introduction. Seedling NSCAP—29. New Snow X Capitola. **NET \$10.00**

HELEN COLLINGWOOD (K. Smith '49) ML 40".

A large beautifully formed flower in the amoena-neglecta class. The standards are white, tinted blue and the falls are brilliant violet.

Outstanding. \$2.50

HELEN LOUISE (Lapham '52) M 36". A large flowering broad petaled flower of rich salmon pink with a full red beard. \$3.00

HEROIQUE (Bloese '52) M 36". A sturdy white which has produced 9" flowers. Long blooming season. Makes outstanding clump in garden.\$1.50 HI TIME (Hall '50) M 35". A very rich self of golden apricot tones with a tangerine beard. Lovely form.

HUMMING BIRD (Knowlton '52) M 40". An unusual color combination, very appealing. Crisp fluted standards of Egyptian buff: broad flaring falls of white, lightly bordered buff. Center illuminated by deep glow accentuated by bright orange beard. Heavily ruffled. \$2.00

ILLUSTRIOUS (Hall '53) L 36". A wonderful late blue. Will brighten your garden along with Extravaganza and Garden Glery. A clump makes a wonderful sight. \$2.00

INCA CHIEF (Mitsch '52) ML 35". A giant of luscious burnish golden bronze. Very broad petals of heavy substance and waved edges. \$4.00

INSPIRATION (Stevens '37) E-L 36". A huge mulberry-pink that has always been popular since its arrival from New Zealand. \$.75

IRMA MELROSE (DeForest '56) On display this year to build up stock.

JANE PHILLIPS (Graves '50) M 38". Exquisite light blue. Deeper in color than its parent, Helen McGregor, but similar in form and substance. A BEAUTIFUL IRIS! \$1.00

JAVA JEWEL (DeForest '51) M 38". A large well formed flower of bright old gold. The basic color is deep tan-gold and brilliance is added by a shimmering metallic like greenish overtone. Lovely. \$2.00

JUNE BRIDE (Hall '52) M 30". A deep flamings pink with a smooth rich buff undertone which throws it a bit towards the orange pink side.

\$3.00

LADDIE (Miess '51) M 36". A pleasing damson blue, distinctively infused with cocoa prown as The haft. Standards domed and falls flaring, both slightly ruffled. Fragrant. \$2.00 LADY ALBRIGHT (Muhlestein '50) M 36". Standards copper, falls a rosy deep lavender edged color of standards. Very colorful and a must \$3.00 have for your garden. LADY ILSE (K. Smith '51) M 38". Truly a beautiful large ruffled powder blue. Outstanding when planted with the deeper pinks. LANTANA (DeForest '52) M 38". Blend of golden-tan and orange-rose. Large flowers are held on tall, well branched sturdy stalks. \$7.50 LAUREL HILL (Plough '49) M 30". Rosy redlavender with Mohr shape and veining. Nice for front of the border planting. \$1.00 LAVENSQUE (Schreiner '53) E 40". Like an

orchid pink Helen McGregor in its classic perfection is this copiously formed, lacing and frilled successor to Pink Plume. Winsomely ruffled, yet neat as a pin, its exquisite orchidpink tone is emphasized by a gold beard and haft.

\$5.00
LILAC LANE (Whiting '47) M 36". Light colored lilac self. Fine for informal clumps in the gar-

LIMELIGHT (Hall '52) M 36". Ruffled light yellow with hint of green on the falls. Best in this color class. Creates much interest when seen.\$3.00 LINDORA (H. Sass '50) M 38". Standards dark yellow, falls white bordered dark yellow. STRIK-ING! \$1.50

MAJORETTE (Miess '53) M 36". Very unusual red-violet bicolor. Light area around beard. A "Leader" of we have ever seen one. Created much comment in our display at the Sacramento Iris Show last season. \$8.00

MALAY (Kleinsorge '52) M 34". Vivid brown with lots of garden value. Large blossoms held on well branched sturdy stalks. Free flowering.\$2.00 MARSALA (DeForest '51) M 36". Persian rose self, with tangerine-red beard. Good size, form and substance. \$5.00

MARY RANDALL (Fay '51) M 38". This attractive new rose-pink, with tangerine beard, is another color break in Iris. The flower is of perfect form with domed standards and wide haft flaring falls. The substance is outstanding. Winner of Dykes Medal 1954. \$7.50

MAYTIME (Whiting '50) M 40". Wide, firm standards of clear orchid-pink; broad falls of deeper rose-pink. Extra nice clean and fresh bi-tone. \$3.00

MELODY LANE (Hall '49) E-M 36". Large flowered golden-apricot. The best performer in this color class. Fertile both ways. \$1.50

well branched raspberry-rose beauty that will appeal to everyone when better distributed. This Iris has created much comment each year seen in our garden. A real beauty with good sized flowers on well branched sturdy stalks.

MICGEM (McKee' 47) 36". Nice rose color with metalic flush on falls. Substance is very good.\$.75 MOHR BEAUTY (Milliken '50) M 36". This is a fine yellow that has a small white area on the falls. Very diferent from any other. MOHRESQUE (Keith '50) M 38". Standards of light brown, falls are yellowish-buff, flecked purple. Very odd but yet very pretty. Attracts much attention when seen. MOHRNING DOVE (Craig '53) EM 32". An immense and curiously patterned broad flaring dove-gray Mohr hybrid. MORNING MELODY (Becherer '48) M 38". Soft orchid-lavender with a white beard. Lightly scented. Very nice. MOULIN ROUGE (Tompkins '54) M-VL 37". One of the darkest reds Tompkins has produced. This near crimson has a very velvety finish with faint purple-red sheen over the petals. The flowers are extra large and beautifully formed. **NET \$12.00**

MRS. SIDNEY MITCHELL (Mitchell '51) M 38". Large white of perfect form. Large blooms on tall well branched stalks. Carries many buds to insure a long blooming season. A new favorite.

MYSTIC MELODY (Stevens '51) M 38". Cream standards with yellow falls. A very charming new creation from New Zealand. \$2.00
NELSON OF HILLY (C. White '38) E 24". Oncobred. A darling, having white standards with lavender cast and falls of cream, peppered with cinnamon and violet dots. \$1.00
NEW HOPE (DeForest '50) M 40". Large and stunning medium violet-blue plicata. Much in demand. Stock is low so order early. \$1.50
NIGHT LIFE (Muhlestein '48) M 34". About the

NIGHT MOTH (Craig '50) M 35". Pale wisteria, heavily veined and stippled at haft and throat, with small, deep violet signal accent at tip of beard. Strangely onco-marked flower. Very hardy.

\$4.00

ORIENTAL GLORY (Salbach '50) M 36". Another

blackest we have seen. A large flower on

\$2.00

\$3.00

somewhat short stalks.

fine creation from Mr. Salbach. Soon it will take its place alongside of his now famous Lady Mohr. Standards rich mahogany red, falls chestnut brown shading to gold at the haft. Bright blue blaze in center of falls. Fine form and well branched stalks. You will want it sooner or later so why not order it now. OYEZ (C. White '38) E 24". Oncobred. One of the most strikingly beautiful of all. Pinkish white standards, etched with veins of dark rose; falls horizontally flaring, pinkish cream, veined in blackish maroon, and with a signal of same color. Small rhizomes but fast of increase \$1.00 PACEMAKER (Lapham '50) E-M 36". The color of this smooth, velvety red self is uniform throughout the standards and falls without veins on the

PAGAN ROYAL (Douglas '51) M 36". A com-

manding red-violet with lots and lots of garden

haft. One of the top-notch reds.

\$8.00

value.

PALOMINO (Hall '52) M 36". Creamy white ground, edged buff-pink. Tangerine beard. This is very nice and so different from the rest of the tangerine bearded iris of today. PARADISE PINK (Lapahm '50) M 32 to 34". A deep pink Iris of great popularity. Increases exceptionally fast and makes a clump with remarkable color value in the garden. The thick beard is deep red-orange. PARTY DRESS (Muhlestein '51) ML 36". Charming ruffled pink that is very clean and clear. A very fine addition to the pinks. \$2.00
PHALANX (Schreiner '51) E-M". A novelty iris of rare coloring in an unusual fuchsia hue. Falls have a metallic rose sheen enhanced by a blue blaze in the center. Often reminiscent of a Christmas tree ornament. PHEOBUS APPOLLO (White '54) EM 38". One of the most sought for yellows. Stock very scarce and only one or two offered this year. NET \$20.00

PIERRE MENARD (Faught '48) M 36". Outstanding deep flaring blue. Ruffled form and flaring falls. Destined to be very popular. Sister seedling to Cahokia. \$1.50 PINK CONFECTION (Muhlestein '53) E-M 38". Another lovely real deep pink. It is becoming very popular with those who have seen it.\$3.00 PINK SENSATION (Hall '48) M 34". Deep pink full of quality. Lightly ruffled with a colorful tangerine beard. Try it now. PINK TOWER (Muhlestein '48) E-M 38". A very large and towering light shell-pink of beautiful form. Imparts size and clarity of color to its children. A must for pink breeding. PINNACLE (Stevens '49) M-L 38". Very smooth cantrast in a yellow amoena. Popular everywhere. We sold completely out in 1954 and 1955. \$1.50 PLACERITA (Miess '50) M 36". Very lovely golden-tan. Seems to be sprinkled with gold dust. Very popular in 1954. Was focal attraction in our garden and Sacramento Iris Show Display.

PLUMED DELIGHT No stock available in 1957.
PLUM PRETTY (DeForest '49) M 34". A smooth flower of grape-purple. Very unusual color but most attractive if planted in front of yellows or whites. Try it this year.

PONDER (McKee '49) M 38". A very large light blue self of excellent form with closed standards and semi-flaring falls. Heavy substance and smooth finish.

\$2.00

PORT WINE (Sass '50) M-L 36". An outstanding plicata with porcelain white ground heavily bordered with deep purple-red No other plicata like it. One of Sass' best, to date, in this class.
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PRAIRIE JEWEL (Sass '53) ML 38". A striking color from a most unusual breeding line. This is a lovely Iris as well as a promising parent. The flowers are large with broad petal and rather oval as to form. Standards are well domed and are clear shell pink in color contrasting strongly with the broad Dahlia-red falls. A vivid red beard and a gleaming enamel like finish gives a jewel like finish.

PRETENDER (Cook '51) M 35". A new bicolor that is entirely different in color pattern. The standards are amber yellow and the falls are velvety purple with a narow edge of lighter color. Flowers are large and flaring. \$7.00 PRETTY PANSY (Sass '49) E-M 35". Stunning! Different! Purple with striking white area. We think it highly novel and beautiful. \$1.50 PRETTY PINK (Murray '54) M 38". Very large wide deep pink with pink beard. Falls slightly darker than standards. Flaring falls and closed standards show its heavy substance. Many long lasting flowers on nicely branched sturdy stock. Extra nice.

PRETTY QUADROON (Kleinsorge'48) M 36". Metallic copper-brown, smooth and rich. Unusual, lovely. A must have in this color class. \$2.00
PRIVATEER (Tompkins '54) E-M 34". A brilliant red self of large size with very broad petals and lovely flaring form. The finish is velvety and smooth with no haft markings and the flowers are iong lasting and nonfading. A good performer in every way. NET \$15.00
PROSPECTOR (Kleinsorge '50) M 36". Lovely flaring yellow with light area in falls which surely harks back to its progenitor Treasure Island.

PUNCHBOWL (Craig '51) M 36". Heavily marked onco-plicata of burgandy on white. A novel iris. Stock very scarce. \$2.00

PURRISAMOHR (Weidner '52) ML 40". A pure white oncobred of very large size. The flower is full formed and heavily substanced with standards closely domed and the falls broad and flaring. Beard is yellow with a crest. Tall and well branched. \$4.00

QUECHEE (Knowlton '50) M 36". Garnet-red self. Does not fade or burn in the hot sun. Very nice for the warmer climates due to this attribute. Does fine anywhere. \$1.50

QUEENS LACE (Muhlestein '55) ML 36". Creamywhite done up with the heaviest laced edge. The edge of the petals and beard are light yellow. Very outstanding. Not for sale as we are building up stock for 1958.

QUICKSILVER (Schreiner '53) M 37". If you are looking for a fresh-toned medium light blue of heavy substance, classic form, rugged constitution, fine height and extreme floriferousness—in other words, for an ideal GARDEN BLUE that you can depend on for a mass of color, then you must have this one. Very outstanding.

RAINBOW ROOM (J. Sass '46) M-L 36". Light yellow standards, falls a blending of many colors. Delightful. \$1.00

RASPBERRY RIBBON (Schreiner '51) E-M 34". A lovely plicata, rosier and brighter than Minnie Colquitt. Makes imposing clump. \$2.50

RAVEN WING (Milliken '41) M 36". A tall dark beauty from Sable. Excellent growing habits. One of the outstanding "dark" iris in our garden. \$2.50 REAL GOLD (Austin '51) M 24". A new Oncobred. The nearest approach to REAL GOLD color yet attained in Iris. Standards glistening gold buff, enhanced by harmonizing soft brown veins and a golden bronze beard, often with a spread of 6" or more. A good increaser and yields good pollen. Be one of the first to have it.

RICH RAIMENT (Craig '49) M 36". Unusual red plicata with perpendicular lines. You must see it to appreciate its beauty. \$1.50

ROSE SPLENDOR (Kleinsorge '47) M 37". Nice blend of watermelon and copper. Fine if used with the darker Iris. \$1.50

ROYAL BAND (Craig '50) E-M-L 34". A ruffled, medium-sized plicata flower very strongly contrasted in purple on white. One of the best we have grown. Is considered a fall bloomer in warmer climates. \$1.00

ROYAL SOVEREIGN (Stevens '51) EM 36".
Very rich deep orange-yellow, falls seem velvety and color does not fade. \$2.00
RUFFLED APACHE (Wallace '54) M 36". Huge blended combination of gold and red. Standards are golden yellow and falls are a red blend.

NET \$10.00

RUFFLED BOQUET (C. Rees '47) M 36". Choice bi-colored cream, standards slightly deeper. Very nice garden subject. \$1.75

RUFFLED ORGANDY (Brenan '53) M-L 42". Ruffled translucent creamy ground, all petals bordered with edge of buff. Good substance and well branched stalks carry up to 23 buds. If you do not have it now, this is the year to get it.

RUFFLED TAFFETA (Miess '54) M 36". Deep pinklavender with contrasting cream beard. Ruffled, wide of haft falls. Standards closed. Color changes with each stage of life in the bloom. Vigorous and a good increaser. Tops in its color class. \$10.00

RUTH (Innes '50) M 34". Smooth rich yellow the size of Gold Ruffles with its deep ruffling. One of the nice new yellows.

\$1.00
\$ABLE NIGHT (P. Cook '52) M 38". Very dark

black-purple with reddish understones. Brown tipped beard. Winner of Dykes Medal 1955.

NET \$12.00

SAFARI (Plough '55) ML 30". Fancy type washed and striated plicata done in warm brown on cream. The heart of the flower has a golden glow.

\$4.00

SAFFRON CHARM (Benbow '54) E 28". A strange, unusual flower. Standards very ruffled, shimmering with bright saffron-yellow stitching, gradually blending to pale blue. Falls lavenderblue blended with paler yellow, and have darker grey lines showing its REGELIA blood. Beard grey, tipped yellow. Does not set seed but has very fertile pollen. \$5.00

*SADDLE BROWN (Rees'52) M 38". Brilliant big polished saddle-leather brown. Substance, form, and finish are all good. \$3.75 SALMON SHELL (Muhlestein '50) M 38". Large salmon-pink self --- even to the beard. Stock scarce so order early. \$1.50

SAVAGE (Craig '49) E-M 36". A striklingly difterent shade of red, bronze-red suffused with magenta. Brilliant broadly flaring falls. Real nice. \$2.50

SOLID GOLD (Kleinsorge '51) M 36". A very impressive large rich yellow. One of the best in this class. Sold out in '54. Order early and avoid being disappointed as stock is very short.

SOLID MAHOGANY (J. Sass '44) M 36". Deep glowing mahogany-red Heavy texture, well formed. Very impressive. \$1.00

SOLVEG (Johnson '49) M 36". Rich cream bordered lemon-yellow. The large flowers are very impressive. \$1.00

SOME LOVE (C. White '38) E 28". Oncobred.
Delicately beautiful, with ground of ivory, sprinkled and dotted cinnamon. Very small rhizomes.
Everyone loves this darling.
\$1.00

SONG OF SONGS (Crosby '50) M 38". A real beauty in cream-ivory and gold. Beautifully formed, deep lacy edged flowers. Good substance. \$1.00

SO SWEET (Mitchell '53) M 38". Ruffled bluewhite with a most distinct and charming fragrance. \$2.00

SPANISH FANDANGO (Kleinsorge '51) M-L 38".

A near variegata, the standards deep amber and the falls rich amber red.

\$2.00

SPELLBOUND (Linse '51) M 40". A new red with golden overlay. Has been given much praise by those who have seen it. A dandy. Very hardy.

\$3.50

SPIC AND SPAN (Wallace '53) M-L 38". A new creamy white that is vigorous and hardy. Many flowers on well branched sturdy stalks. \$2.00

SPRING MELODY (Miess '54) M-L 40". A pure clean dandelion yellow of heavy substance and non fading character. A very noteworthy flower from a critical breeder. One of her best to date. Have it now. \$10.00

SPRING ROMANCE (Miess '49) E-M 40". Heavy substanced cream-white with heavy infusion of gold at the hafts. This beauty was the focal point of our display at the 1955 Sacramento Iris Show. A must have. \$1.50

STAR SHINE (J. Wills '49) M 36". Deep creamy standards, white falls flushed pale blue. Order early as this beauty is in great demand. \$2.00

STORM WARNING (Scheiner '53) M 36". A large and impressive iris of pitch black with very broad petals and a smooth velvety finish. \$5.00

STRATHMORE (Morris '49) E-M 32". A flower of remarkable purity of color. In close harmony with this virtue is an exceptionally smooth, precise styling. Beard a prominent feature, bright tangerine red. Has fertile pollen and sets seed. \$5.00

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Iris Protection - Where & When!



Insect and Fungus spring cleanup is very valuable and should be done earlier in the Southern and West Coast States. This can be the most important phase of Iris gardening because so much more can be accomplished at this time, with so little effort and spray material. All dead leaves should be stripped from the rhizomes and grass shears used to trim partially dead leaves back to live, green growth. This will remove from the Iris garden certain leaf spot spores and Iris Borer eggs laid last fall by the Iris Borer moth.

The Iris plants should be thoroughly drenched and the soil saturated with the solution of CARCO-X mixed 1-100 which serves as a double barrelled control for leaf spot, iris borers, soft rot and crown rot. The solution destroys certain insect and iris borer eggs and most of the spores of leaf spot fungus. Saturating the soil protects your plants from the probable causes of soft rot.

SOFT ROT:

Soft Rot is detected by an iris plant showing a brown leaf or failing to make normal growth. To treat, remove the dirt from over and around the rhizome and scrape out the rot with an old spoon, saturate the rhizome and soil around it with CARCO-X solution 1-200 and leave exposed to the air and sun. Next day the iris rhizome will be dry as a board and continue to grow. CARCO-X solution is made by mixing one tablespoonful of CARCO-X in three quarts of water. It is easy to mix, easy to use and non-poisonous. It can be left in the garden with no danger of poisoning birds and animals.

IRIS BORER:

Moths of the Iris Borer lay their eggs in the fold of the dead leaves in the late summer or fall, so late in the fall or sometime very early in the spring, clean up all the dead leaves and burn them. Then in the spring after the Iris beds have been cleaned, spray with the 1-100 solution of CARCO-X every two weeks during the egg hatching. If infested in late summer because of no previous properly timed treatment, we suggest pouring a solution of CARCO-X 1-100 on the rhizome, making a ditch around the rhizome so the solution can be soaked into this ditch and will soak around and under the rhizome.

MUSTARD SEED FUNGUS:

A condition where one leaf after another develops a slick, slimy area extending upward two or three inches from the rhizome. It has been very hard to control and plants affected gradually become defoliated until only one to three leaves remain upright. Prostrate green leaves on the ground are the first indication. Iris growers report that Mustard Seed Fungus in certain sections of the country is a big problem, and for that you will drench your plant with the 1-200 solution (1 teaspoon CARCO-X to 1 quart of water) and save your plant. Mustard Seed Fungus also affects many other plants such as Plantain Lilies. This treatment is similar to that used on rhizomes having Soft Rot.

WINTER PROTECTION:

CARCO-X is an ovacide as well as a fungicide and excellent results can be obtained by dormant spraying in late fall. Insects winter over in the litter in a perennial garden. As soon as the Iris garden is raked clean, cultivate lightly, then spray or sprinkle it, thoroughly wetting the soil as well as the plants, with a 1-100 solution. A sprinkling can is very satisfactory on small gardens and much quicker for the job. This treatment destroys the eggs as well as the insects at a time when they are easiest to kill.

Certain Iris growers state that after dormant or late fall spraying it is a good practice to hoe the dirt up over the rhizomes in the late fall similar to hilling up potatoes, and in the spring hoe the dirt away from the rhizomes until the ground is level once more. This protects against winter injury and is almost equal to covering with hay. After the ground is frozen, cover with hay, tucking the hay up around the plants more than over them.

Fertilizer cannot do its best work for you unless soil insects and fungus are controlled. Many gardeners have blamed fertilizer for being of no or little value and it was not the fault of the fertilizer at all.

CARCO-X is an emulsifiable liquid concentrate that has year-round uses.

Prices of CARCO-X are: Pints, \$1.85; Quarts, \$3.00; Gallons, \$8.75.

Recommended and Sold by:

Hoffman's Iris Gardens

SUMMIT (Stevens '51) M 38". White standards with deep yellow falls. Sister to Mystic Melody. Very nice anywhere. \$2.00 SUNRAY (Hall '50) E-M 36". Heavy ruffled yellow flowers with good substance and branch-\$1.00 SUSAN OF HILLY (C. White '43) E 20". Oncobred. Standards pale amethyst, frilled. Falls blended pale yellow and mother of pearl, with signal of violet lines. Wee rhizomes but nice size flowers for an Oncobred. SWAGGER (Lothrop '53) ML 38". This dark self of purple-black is well branched, has a jaunty appearance, with very large broad flaring velvety falls, and a yellow beard tipped white.

SWAN BALLET (Muhlestein '55) ML 40". Wide, ruffled, flaring all white including white-tipped beard. NOT FOR SALE. ON DISPLAY ONLY.

SWEET MARIE (Muhlestein '51) E-M 36". Very large orchid beauty with the tangerine beard.

Well liked by those who have seen it. \$1.50

TAFFY BROWN (Quadros '55) ON DISPLAY ONLY THIS YEAR.

TALLY HO (Hall '49) M 36". Purple-fuschia with thick tangerine beard. A fine parent for breeding. Try it now. \$5.00

TANGO (H. E. Sass '54) M 38". Heavily substanced large, rich blue. Semi-flaring, waved falls on strong stalks. \$2.00

TECHNICOLOR (Whiting '50) M 38". Many flowered brown toned red. This Iris will go down in history as one of the top Iris for red breeding. \$2.00

TEMPLE BELLS (Hall '52) M 36". Deep apricot yellow of good form and size. Makes a stunning clump. Will be superb breeder for many colors.

TEN SLEEP (K. Moore '52) ML 36". Plicata of white heavily marked dark blue. No two flowers are marked exactly alike. The flowers are large and well shaped. Fine branching. \$3.50
THANKSGIVING FIRELIGHT (Austin '50) E-M 38".
Standards blended reddish yellow. Falls dark crimson. We have had continuous bloom for 45 days in an established clump. Odd coloring but never-the-less nice. \$1.00

THE MAD HATTER (Lyon '51) M-L 36". Deep mahogany red. Large and tall. Looks like a superb breeder for reds. \$2.50

THE PENGUIN (Goodman '48) M 38". Very unusual brownish-marked plicata. May give plicatas to the pinks when bred with such things as SQ 72, or other Sea Shell derivitives. \$1.00 THOTMES III (Kleinsorge '50) M 40". A smooth self of glistening golden tan with a light bronze beard. Gigantic in size, extra broad falls and heavy texture. \$3.00

TOAST AND HONEY (Kleinsorge '53) M 34". An altogether different tan and brown Iris. A full and generously proportioned flower, with wide segments, the falls flaring and waved at the edges. General color is rich light golden brown, like butter and honey, and the falls are shaded deeper toast-brown, especially on the edges and near the hafts. Extra nice. NET \$10.00

TOBACCO ROAD (Kleinsorge '42) M 36". Tobacco brown self of very heavy substance. Makes wonderful clump, \$1.00

TOBASCO (Craig '51) M 36". The hybridizer considers this one of his best plicatas. Rich and flaring in form, with exceptional texture. In color, gold, sprayed with paprika. \$3.00

TOP FLIGHT (D. Hall '53) M 34". Luscious deep golden apricot that approaches true orange. A color gem, this is set off by a fiery orangered beard that is thick and heavy. \$3.00 TRAIL BLAZER (Molliken '50) M 38". Vibrant blending of red, mulberry, and purple with a touch of blue below the cinnamon beard. This one is big, bold, and heavily colored. Very attractive. \$3.50

TRULY YOURS (Fay '49) L 38". Outstandingly beautiful, the ruffled, lace-edged standards and falls pale out to near white at the extremities from the bright yellow throat. The substanced falls have yellow reverse. Winner of Dykes Medal in 1953.

TWO SNOWS (Scott '52) M 38". Big ruffled white. Excellent substance and lasting qualities. Fine show specimen. \$3.00

VIOLET HARMONY (Lowery '52) M 40". This handsome iris was the center of attraction at the 1953 American Iris Society Convention and was awarded the Presidents cup. The blooms are a self of a lovely shade of violet with the exception of a lighter flush at the haft and around the beard. The broad blooms have very firm texture and are extremely ruffled. Lovely flaring form and fine growing habits. Fertilaboth ways.

VOODOO (Kleinsorge '48)) M 34". A nicely formed iris of chocolate-brown standards and blackish red-brown falls. \$.75

WHISPERS (Linse '51) M 40". White and yellow bi-color of much quality. This beauty is in great demand so please order early. \$1.50

WITCH DOCTOR (Plough '55) EML 28". Very large onco, of grayed blue-lavender with a buffy-tan haft and heart. As large as any Iris in commerce, this is an eye stopper. Long season of bloom.

NET \$12.50

WILLIAM MOHR, Giant Strain. (Mohr-Mitchell '25) E-M 27". Immense bright lavender hybrid veined red-violet. Much larger than common strain. \$1.00

WOODMONT PLUME (Mitchell '52) M 36". This is the huge-substanced gay burgundy plicata that everyone raves over. Order early on this. \$2.50

YELLOW ORGANDY (Rees '52) L 40". Simply gigantic, wide ruffled light yellow with deeper yellow texture-veining. \$3.75

YELLOW TOWER (Muhlestein '50) M 36". Medium yellow flowers with good branching. It fast becoming a fine parent for pinks. \$1.00*

ZWANNENBURG (Denis) E 8" Dwarf. Odd onco with buff ground splashed maroon. \$.75





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